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COMPLAINTS AGAINST THE B. R. T. East New Yorkers Present Their Grievances to Railroad Commission.

The complaints of the residents of the Twenty-sixth ward against the surface and elevated railroad service of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company was heard by the State Railroad Commissioners in the Borough Hall yesterday. Ralph W. Kenyon, representing about two hundred taxpayers, handed in a dentain St. Francis's Horpital, the result of a long complaint. His clients, he said, constroke of parabolis it was reported yester-day that he was better, but little here of Lexington avenue elevated road was defective;

Trust, but he understood the trust had done the same thing to a number of greets. Mr. Bernard could not say what the liabilities or assets were, for the assignment was made in a great hurry. Asked it the liabilities would amount to \$25,000 be said he did not think they would, but it was only guess work, as he did not know what they were.

Benjamin G. Wood, greer at 481 Columbus avecase, has made an assignment to Edward Rowell, siving preferences for \$1,780.

Alabonse Major of 491 Pearl street, who has been in the cement business for many years, filed a retition in bankruptcy vesterday with liabilities \$4,001 largely for advertising, and ansets consisting of cash \$18, blorde \$7, watch and chalf \$21, five shares of stock of the Major Company Company, and several pratents.

Divid F. Mann, doing business as Mann & Co., dealers in cloaks and skirts at 16 West Fourteeath street, with a branch in Washington, D. C. has filed a retition in bankruptcy with liabilities \$13,212 and assets \$11,832. He got a discharge in bankruptcy a year ago.

GRIGGS TO LEAVE THE CABIVET.

RAPID TRANSIT DETAILS.

Who Shavid Control Pine Gilleries Proposed Site Off a Fourth Avenue Front.

discharge in bankruptcy a year ago.

The Rapid Transit Commission spent two hours yesterday discussing pipe galleries and reading letters in reg rd to pipe galler es from the Commissioners of Sewers, Highways, and Water and the President of the Department of Public Improvements. The chief engineer was directed to draw up plans for the galleries and If not that dann Dinnean poorloined me to send copies to the interested departments.

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A messenger employed by Laidlaw & Co. bankers at is Wall street delivered some stock certificates to Maxwell & Graves, of 143 Liberty street and then started back with a check for \$5,300, drawn by Maxwell & Graves on the American Exchange National Bank I on him Fraulty and payable to buildaw & Co. to settle for people stood around the stock. The boy slipped the check and and the united began to get a higher the check and the content as he there is no the content as he there is no the content and the check and the content a desertment and vesterday it was returned to

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ARMOR QUESTION SETTLED. THE FIRMS AGREE TO MAKE KRUPP

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the Navy had the satisfaction to-day of announcing that he had reached an agreement with the two principal armor making firms, was feasible or advisable.

which would end the embarrassing controversy Vice-President Judson Lawson and Lewis his vitinate recovery is held out. When that an insufficient number of trains were which would end the embarrassing controversy Noloni, or the "frish barrister," as he liked to operated and that the passengers were not over the price of armor for naval vessels and

home when Binning stopped the horse and placed them under arrest.

They jumped into the cab to get away from me," explained the policemath.

"Oh, that's tho thin," sneered the Magiatrate. "Do you think you can fool me with a story of that kind?"

"Your Honor," cried one of the two women, he rode to the Station in the cab, sitting in our lare.

"I shall discharge these women," declared the Magistrate. They, mind you, also have some rights and cannot be arrested without having committed an offence which can be proved against them."

All pine women were then released.

PAILURE LAID TO SUGAR TRUST.

Greenwich Street Green Says That Credit was With r wa Fom Him.

Berthold Blank, wholesale grocer at 344 Greenwich street, made in assignment yesterday to Victor A. Rotholz without preference. Mr. Blank has been in business nineteen years. William Bernard, his attorney, said that the assignment was caused by the Sugar Trust's withdrawal of credit to Mr. Blank: he did not know of any reason for the action of the Sugar Trust, but he understood the trust had done the same thing to a number of grocers. Mr. Bernard could not say what the limit of cost at figures to which the armor makers would construction of which the armor makers would constructed the secretary of the Navy to endeavor to get Krupp armor at a reasonable price, and the lad, failing to do so, to proceed with the construction of which the construction of which \$4,000,000 was appropriated. Through the agreement reached to day the failed for overnment plant are reached to construction of which \$4,000,000 was appropriated. Through the agreement reached to construction of which \$4,000,000 was appropriated. Through the agreement reached to construction of which \$4,000,000 was appropriated. Through the agreement reached to construction of which \$4,000,000 was appropriated. Through the construction of which \$4,000,000 was appropriated. Through the construction of which \$4,000,000 was appropriated. Through the construction of which \$4,000,000 was appropriated. Through

GRIGGS TO LEAVE THE CABI ET. Wishes to Resume the Practice of Law After March & Next.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15 .- A statement was obtained from the highest source to-day that Attorney-General Griggs will retire from the Cabinet on March 4 next, or very soon thereafter. The report that the Attorney-General would probably retire at the end of his present term has been circulated widely and is now confirmed. Mr. Grigas desires to dispose of certain matters of administration now before the Department of Justice before he gives up his portfolio, for he is unwilling to let them remain for sattlement by a successor. If necessary, he will remain for that purpose for some time after March 4, but he hopes to be able to leave the Cabinet on that date in order to resume his private law practice in New Jersey. It is generally reported that Secretary Root will leave the Cabinet at the end of his present term, but no authoritative confirmation of the report can be obtained. after. The report that the Attorney-General obtained

PAYMASTER BIRBER DEAD. The Son of President McKinley's Widowed Ste-

ter Dies in Hong Kong.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15 .- The Navy Departnent received a telegram to-day from Capt. G. W. Pigman of the monitor Montery, reporting the death at Hong Kong of Assistant Paymaster James S. Berber, U. S. N., of tephoid fever. Mr. Barber was the son of President McKinle's widowed sister, Mrs. Barber of Can-Barber entered the Eighth Ohio Volun

Mr. Barber entered the Eighth Chio Volun-teers as a private at the beginning of the Span-ish-American War and served in the Santiago campaign. He contracted fever in Cuba and was very ill after his return home. Shorth after the end of the war he was approinted an As-sistant Pa master in the nave, and after serving on the cruiser Michigan on the Great Lakes was ordered to the Philippines, where he served on the gumboat Don Juan de Austria and the monitor Montere. He had been ill at Hong Kong for about a month.

Army and Navy Orders.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15. -These army orders were Issued to-day:

Capt. Sobree Smith. Third Artillery, ordered before Army Reuting Board in this city for examination.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Alva S. Pinto, from duty in Cuba, from Omaha to San Francisco for duty with troops on route to the Philippines.

Major Charles B. Fyrne, Surgeon, from the Department of Porto Bulco to Pgit San Houston.

Capt. David S. Stanley, Assistant Quartermaster, from tois city to New York for duty temperarily as Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence on the transport Sedgwick.

Lieut.Col. James M. Ingalis, Third Artillery, from this city to Fort Montoe for temporary duty.

Capt. Percy E. Trippe, Temp Cavalry, from Washington Bartacks to join his troop as Fort Melnetch.

Capt. John A. Lockwood, Bouth Cavalry, having been found incapacitated for active service, has been refered. issued to-day ictired.

Capt. Renzey J. Hampton. Assistant Quartermaster, from Winchester, ky., to Seattle, for temporary duty, and thence on the transport Kintuck to Manila, Acting Quartermaster and Acting Commissary of Subsistence en reute.

Capt. Robert Calverley. Thirty-fourth Infantry, United States Volunteers, on account of physical disability, honorably discharged.

These naval orders were issued: Lieut, N. E. Irwin, from the Mare Island Yard some and await orders. Lieut, W. R. Gherardi, from the Wampatuck to Lieut. W. Cherard, from the Wampatuck to the Annapolis. Assistant Paymaster J. S. Barber died at Hong Kong Nov. 15. Assistant Naval Constructor H. L. Ferguson, from the Bureau of Construction and Repair to Eath Lion Works.

LABOR QUESTIONS DISCUSSED. Builders' League and Union Iron Moulders

Favor Voluntary Arbitration. WASHINGTON, Nov. 15 .- The Industrial Commission heard a number of witnesses to-day Shall Assume Liability for Royalttes. Which. labor subjects. John P. Leo, President of the If Exacted, Would Bring the Price of the Builders' League of New York, which has as Armor to Not More Than \$455.52 a Ton. members about 40 per cent, of the master members about 40 per cent. of the master WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.-The Secretary of builders, favored arbitration, but not compulsory arbitration, before State boards. He did not believe a national board of arbitration

Gibson, his adopted daughter, he leaves the property at 25 Fairview avenue, New York city.

LOST HALF THEIR CHINA TRADE

Southern Cotton Manufacturers Protest Against
Ann Yiolation of the Open Door.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—A petition signed by a majority of the cotton manufacturers in the South, practically similar to one they filed last year protesting against the violation of the open door, has been received by the Secretary of State. It calls on the Government to take such action as may be necessary to prevent any foreign Power from interfering inchinain such a way as to close the markets of the Empire to the cotton goods made in this country. The petition was based apparently on the reports that Russia would retain Manchuria, for it is contended that stoppage of American exports to this province, where much of the manufactured cotton goods is sent, would injure planters, manufacturers and workers engaged in the cotton industry of the South. The important statement is made that the signers of the petition, whose invested capital is \$15.000.000, have lost half their trade with China since the beginning of the present troubles and are now running their mills on half time.

KINGS SUNDAY SCHOOLS MEET.

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Convention. Sunday Schools was opened yesterday in the Marcy Avenue Baptist Church in Brookdent; E. P. Maynard, J. W. Cummings and B. T. Hill, Vice-Presidents, and W. H. Brown and John F. Hill, Secretaries, Tributes to the memory of the late A. D. Matthews, Silas M. Giddings and Andrew A. Smith, who had long been prominent in Sunday School work, were delivered by the Rev. Dr. Theodore L. Cuyler and others. At the evening session State Superintendent McKlinney gave a report of State Sunday School work, illustrated with stereopticon views.

DR. WHITNEY'S THIRD WILL PILED. It Will Be Contested as Were the Other Two -Estate Worth \$100.000.

MINBOLA, L. I., Nov. 15 .- With a view to settling the estate of Dr. Darling B. Whitney L. Twenty-fifth Infantry, James McCormic. of East Norwich, L. I., which has been in the was filed in the Surrogate's court in this place to-day. A notice of contest was immediately filed by Mrs. Jennie W. Carll, a granddaughter. She sought to have two wills of later date accepted, but both were set aside by the Surrogate, the sons of the testator having fought each will as it was presented. Following Dr. Whitney's death one of his sons was arrested charged with destroying the last will made by his father by throwing it into the furnace in the basement of the Ovster Bay Bank Building. The jury acquitted him. The estate is worth \$100,000.

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Grangers Call on the President. WASHINGTON, Nov. 15 .- About eight hundred delegates to the convention of the National G ange being held in Washington were received by the President in the East R om of the latter

The Scale

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PLEA FOR COMMUTATION OF ALASKA INDIAN'S DEATH SENTENCE.

Skagway and Voluntarily Confessed the Murder-Then He Submitted Himself to the Court and Was Sentenced of Death. WASHINGTON, Nov. 15 .- The Attorney-Gen-Hansen is an Alaskan Indian who, a year ago.

POPULATION OF STATES.

The annual convention of the Kings County Michigan, 2,428,982, an Increase of 327,093 -Kentucky. 2.147.174; Increase, 288.539.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 45 .- The Census Bu eau lyn, and over 900 delegates, representing 377 to-da announced the population of Michigan schools and 143,549 officers, teachers and as 2,420,982, which was an i crease of 327,093, or schools and 18,300 These officers were unanimously elected; Willoumby Powell, Presitable and 1890 Was 4,6,952 or 27.9 per cent | tu ky for 1900 is the increase between 1881 a d 1890 w s 209,

Killed and Wounded in the Philippines. WASHINGTON, Nov. 15 .- The following list of casualties among the troops in the Philippines was received at the War Departmen to-day from Gen. MacArthur under date of Manila, Nov. 15; Killed-Nov. 10. at Subig. Luzon, Company

Wounded-Nov. 10, at Subig, Luzon, Elmer courts for more than two years, a third will was filed in the Surrogate's court in this place to-day. A notice of contest was immediately filed by Mrs. Jennie W. Carll, a granddaughter. She sought to have two wills of later date accepted, but both were set aside by the Surrogate, the sons of the testator having fought each will as it was presented. Following Dr. Whitney's death one of his sons was arrested charged with destroying the last will made by his father by throwing it into the furnace in the basement of the Cyster Bank Building. The jury acquitted him. The estate is worth \$100,000.

PLANS FOR A LYNCHING POILED.

Authorities Refuse to Send Negro Murderer Back to the Scene of His Crime.

Colorado Springs, Col., Nov. 15.—District-Autorney McAllister refused this morning to issue an order for the removal to Hugo of John murdered Louise F ost at L.m... Hugo is the murdered Louise F ost courts for more than two years, a third will 'A. Price, Company L. Twenty-fifth Infantry,

Movements of Nava! Vessels.

Washington, Nov. 15 -The training ship Prairie has arrived at Havre, the training ship Divie at Bizeria, the training ship Topeka at Villefranche, and the gunboat Vixen at Key

The monitor Amphitrite, used as a gunnery The monitor Amphitrite, used as a gunnery practice ship, has sailed from Boston for Tompskirsville. The cruiser Albany from Singapore for Manula: the collier Leonidas from Norfalk for Pensacola and the training ship Mononashela from Hampton Roads for Tompkinsville, towed by the tag Potomae.

The gunboat Annapolis has been placed in commission at Norfolk.

The gunboat Don Juan de Austria has been ordered from Hong Kong to Cavité.

Court of Appeals Calendar. ALBANY Nov. 15 - Court of Appeals calendar for riday, Nov. 16: Nos. 35 2 1, 725 and 689.

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PLOT TO ABDUCT PATERSON GIRL?

Her Father Says She Was to Be Sent to Paterson Saloon Keeper Now in Germany. PATERSON. Nov. 15 .- Robert Rudolph, a weaver 40 years old, was committed to the He Was Converted by the Salvation Army at county joil to-day by Justice Dimond on a charge of attempting to abduct Gussie Slevers, 15 years old, daughter of Otto Sievers, a restaurant keeper at 109 Warren street. The father made the complaint and told the Justice ral recommended to the President to-day that last week a letter tell into his hands which that the sentence of death passed upon James led him to believe that there was a conspiracy Hansen be commuted to imprisonment for life. to abduct his daughter, who was employed as a domestic in the family of James Radcliffe on

site Thrones-Evening Devotions.

There was an impressive ceremonial in St Patrick's Cathedral yesterday morning when for the last day of the Triduum in honor of St. Jean Bapt ste de La Salle, the Apostolio Delegate, Archibishop Martinelli, pontificated at solemn high mass. The Rev. Arthur J. Teeling was assistant priest. The Very Rev. E. Dyer and the Rev. P. McSweeney were deacons of honor the Rev. William L. Penny. deacon, and the Rev. D. J. McMahon, subdescon of the mass. The Rev. M. J. Lavelle. rector of the cathedral, pronounced a pane rector of the cathedral, pronounced a pane-gyric on the life and work of Saint de La Salle. Archbishop Corrigan assisted at the solemn ceremonies on a throne erected opposite the one occupied by the Apostolic Delegate. A select choir from the Christian Brothers' col-leges, academies and schools gave Wiggins's Mass in four parts with full orchestral accom-paniment well sustained by the cathedral organ. The edifice was crowded, a large delegation being present from St. Joseph's Seminary. The edifice was crowded, a large delegation being present from St. Joseph's Seminary.

At 1 o'clook in the afternoon a banquet was provided by the Christian Brothers at De La Salle Institute. West Fifty-minth street for those who during the past three days have officiated in the religious ceremonies of the Triduum. The health of his Hollness Leo XIII, who beatified and canonized St. de La Salle, was proposed and drunk. At the close of the banquet the guests accepted the courtesies of the Catchelic Club and at 8 o'clock in the evening solemn vespers were attended at the cathedral.

CONCERT LICENSE BY MANDAMUS? Panilst Fathers Object and Police Board Re-

fuses to Grant It. The Park Circle Amusement Company, a corporation, moved before Justice Fitzgerald of the Supreme Court yesterday for a writ of mandamus to compel the Police Commissioners to issue a concert hall license for its place of amusement on the southwest corner of Sixtieth street and Broadway. William D. Mann, treasurer of the company, who was formerly one of the managers of the Herald Square Theatre, averred that the company ad spent \$12,000 in fitting up the place. His lawyer, A. H. Hummel, said that he had His lawyer, A. H. Hummel, said that he had been unable to ascertain the reason why the Police Board refused the license. President York declined on Oct. 31 to state the reason. An affidavit of Mr. Mann declared that the plar would be properly conducted as a place of anussement. Assistant Corporation Counsel Chase said

Assistant Corporation Counsel Chase said the courts could not interfere as the issuing of licenses was in the discretion of the Police Board and the board had received a report from the captain of the precinct that objection to the place existed in answer to a question he said that the Paulist Fathers had objected to the license. Decision was reserved.

SANITY OF H. VICTOR NEWCOMB. Referee Hears His Witnesses and Will Hear Mrs. Newcomb's Next Week.

H. Victor Newcomb, formerly President of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, who until recently was under restraint for dementia. resulting from the excessive use of chloral, and whose estate has been managed by a committee, appeared yesterday before Peter B. Ones, who has been appointed referee to take testimony relative to Mr. Newcomb's mental condition. The reference in the case is on a motion now pending before Justice Fitzeraid to have Mr. Newcomb declared sane and to have Mr. Newcomb declared sane and to have the committee discharged.

Mr. Newcomb was represented before the referee by Ghoux & Ginoux. His wife, Mrs. Fiorence Newcomb, and his son, Herman Newcomb, who are opposing the motion, were represented by Burton N. Harrison.

Mr. Newcomb had about a dozen witnesses present who had already made affidavits in the case and who 'estified that he was sane and made to manage his own estate. Among them were Dr. Charles L. Dana, Dr. David Sprazue, Dr. Carles MacDonaid, Dr. E. P. Fowler, Dr. W. L. Baner, Dr. Peterson and Dr. Pitkin. and whose estate has been managed by a com-

Wednesday the referee will hear the

SUICIDE IN A CHICAGO HOTEL. Man Supposed to Be Dr. G. Kent Crosth waite Kills Himself.

Chicago, Nov. 15 .- A man supposed to be Dr. G. Kent Crosthwaite walked up to the desk of the Young Men's Christian Temperance Hotel last night and asked the night clerk to show him to the avertory. Three hours later his body was found in the room. He had shot himself, causing instant death. A revolver later his body was found in the room. He had shot himself, causing instant death. A revolver was lying on the floor nearby. A card bearing the inscription "Dr. G. Kent (rosthwalte," no address, was found. A railroad ticket from Chicago to Perry, Oklah m., was in a pocket. The police found a trunk at the Polk street depot which is thought to have been the property of the dead man, but a search of its contents failed to reveal any clew. The man was well dressed and appeared to be about 35 years old. There was no money in his clothing. He is supposed to be from the East, bound West to Oklahoma.

Advantages to Be Had In Westchester Real Estate.

See Sunday's Sun, Nov. 18. The advertising columns will serve as a guide, if you have property to dispose of, or contemplate an investment. —Adv.



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MAY KELLARD RECALLED

By W. C. Wood's Action to Becover a \$20.000

Proper y From His Wife. William C. Wood has an action pending in the Supreme Court to recover from his wife, Virginia Wood, propertyin Lincoln place, near 118th street, valued at \$20,000. He says he was coerced into giving this property to his wife over and above \$300,000 worth already conveyed to her, in order to get her to keep an agreement to release her dower in other property, which he wished to sell in his involved affairs to prevent foreclosure. Wood is the man from whom, his family say, May Kellard got a lot of money. A denurrer interposed to the complaint was over-ruled yesterday by Justice Bischoff, who says:
"The facts submitted disclose a case wherein a party in pecuniary necessity is coerced into compliance with the unconscionable demands of another, who is in a position to take advantage of the situation, and the rule is that in such a case affirmative relief may be had."

NEWBURGH GAS CONSOLIDATION.

Old Companies Sell Out to New York Capttalists Who Increase Capital to \$1.000,000. NEWBURGH, Nov. 15 .- The transfer of the Consumers' Gas Company and the Consolidated Gas, Electric Light, Heat and Power Company of this city took place to-day in New York, the new owners being mainly New York capttalists. The new company is to be known as the Newburgh Light, Heat and Power Company. The capitalization of the two old company. The capitalization of the two old com-panies was \$750,000. The new capitalization is to be \$1,000,000. Both plants are to be im-proved and the steam-heating plant connected with them is to be greatly enlarged. It is be-lieved that the Consolidated Gas Company of New York is the purchaser. Governor-elect Odell was a large holder of the stock of the two old companies, and sold out with the other stockholders. As president of the old electric light company he received the amount to-day from the buyers to distribute among the sellers.

Dr. Hall Canter to Go to Randolph Macon College.

NORFOLK Va., Nov. 15 .- The trustees of Ran dolph Macon College at their meeting here today elected Dr. Hall Canter of Tulane University, New Orleans, to fill the chair at Randolph Macon, en lered vacant by the death of Dr. Ras-land Randolph Macon Ciller at Ashland, Va., is the Methodist Episcopal South Institution.

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